

JIO DIGITAL FIBRE PRIVATE LIMITED

CIN: U64200GJ2018PTC105652

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To,

Date:02-07-2022

The Deputy Conservator of Forests

Yellapura Divison, Yllapura

Sir,

Sub : Essential Details Sought (EDS) on the proposal to laying JIO Optical Fiber Cable along the Right of Way in NH-PWD road from Bare-idagundi, Chikmane-Belaimange, Yellapura-Hosahalli and Hosakoppa- Kurli in Yellapura Taluk, Uttara Kannada District, Yellapura Forest Division-Reg.

Ref: 1) Proposal No : FP/KA/OFC/144700/2021.

2)No- A6/Bhoomi/FC/CR/2022-23 Dtd: 30-06-2022

Clarification regarding guidelines for diversion of forest land for non-forest

purpose as per the general approval , under Section-2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act,

1980, for laying of underground CNG/PNG and Slurry pipelines-reg.

In view of the above, Para 4.2 of the Comprehensive Guidelines issued on 28.03.2019 may be read as: Laying of Underground Optical Fiber Cables (OFC), telephone lines, drinking water supply pipelines, electricity cables, CNG/PNG and Slurry pipelines. General approval is accorded for taking up these projects within RoW of existing roads (trench size not more than two meter in depth and one meter in width) not falling in National Parks and Wildlife Sanctuaries' without felling of trees. Approval, in addition to general conditions mentioned

The copy of the above guidelines is attached as an additional information.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

For Jio Digital Fiber Pvt Ltd.,



(V V Babu) Authorised Signatory